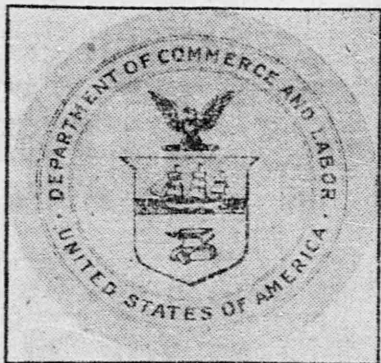


ORGANIZING DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Bureaus to Be Transferred on First of the Month—Design of New Seal Adopted by Secretary Cortelyou.

One Disbursing Clerk to Perform the Labors for All Divisions—Foreign Commerce Statistics Bureau.



Seal of the New Department.

Secretary Cortelyou has determined to consolidate the office of disbursing clerk, Department of Labor, with the disbursing office of the Department of Commerce and Labor from July 1 next, when the Department of Labor will become a bureau of the new department. This course will simplify the work of accounting to the officers of the Treasury, as the disbursements on account of the Department of Labor will be included in the accounts of the disbursing officer of the Department of Commerce and Labor, doing away with one set of accounts in the Secretary's office, the Auditor's office, the Treasury in Washington, and the subtreasury in New York.

The services of the disbursing clerk of the Department of Labor will be required in connection with the examination of the vouchers for expenditures in that department, before they are sent to the Secretary's office for audit and payment.

Statistical Work.

The commission on statistical work recently appointed by Secretary Cortelyou has unanimously recommended that the statistics of cities of 30,000 population and over, authorized to be collected by the Department of Labor, under an act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898, be transferred to the Census Office as early after July 1, next, as possible.

Secretary Cortelyou has approved this recommendation and has announced his intention to issue an order in accordance therewith on or about the 1st of July.

The New Seal.

Section 1 of the act approved February 14, 1903, establishing the Department of Commerce and Labor, provides that the Secretary of Commerce and Labor "shall cause a seal of office to be made for the said department of such device as the President shall approve." After careful consideration of many designs, the design shown herewith has been recommended by Secretary Cortelyou and approved by the President.

The ship is a symbol of commerce; and the anvil and hammer are symbols of industry and labor.

The crest is the eagle of the American arms and denotes the national scope of the department.

The original of the seal is correct in all heraldic details.

Bureau of Foreign Commerce.

On the 1st of July the Bureau of Foreign Commerce of the Department of State, which has charge of the collection, publication and distribution of the commercial reports of consular officers, will be transferred to the Department of Commerce and Labor, and consolidated with the Bureau of Statistics, which is to be transferred from the Treasury to the new department.

The collection of the reports will be made through the consular officers, under the direction of the Secretary of State, through whom the reports will be transmitted to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor. The two departments are expected to work in harmonious cooperation, as the functions of each are clearly defined and there is full agreement between them.

James C. Monaghan, chosen by Secretary Cortelyou to edit the reports under the supervision of Mr. Austin, chief of

the Bureau of Statistics, is a professor in the commercial department of the University of Wisconsin, and was consul at Mannheim, Germany, from June 17, 1885, to March 24, 1890, and at the important industrial center of Saxony—Chemnitz—from May 5, 1893, to March 24, 1900, so that he has had exceptional experience in consular work. While consul at Chemnitz he was a frequent contributor to consular reports on a great variety of subjects and wrote a valuable series of articles on the technical and trade schools of Germany.

Better Results Anticipated.

It is to be assumed, therefore, that the efficiency and celerity attained by the State Department in the publication of commercial information from abroad, will not only be maintained by him, but the value of the publication will be enhanced because of the greater variety of information obtained by the consolidated bureaus.

Frederic Emory, who, since April, 1894, has had charge of this and other branches of the work as chief of the bureau of foreign commerce (known until July 1, 1897, as the bureau of statistics) will remain in the State Department as chief of the new bureau of that department to be created July 1, under section 11 of the department of commerce act, which provides that a person with the rank of chief of bureau, shall be designated by the Secretary of State "to formulate, under his direction, for the instruction of consular officers, the requests of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor; and to prepare from the dispatches of consular officers, for transmission to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, such information as pertains to the work of the Department of Commerce and Labor."

Besides these functions, the new bureau of the State Department, which is to be known as the bureau of trade relations, will have other duties, such as the collection and transmission of consular reports on special subjects, other than commercial, for various branches of the Government service, and the compiling of information for the use of the Department of State in the consideration of questions arising in our foreign intercourse.

DISHONEST COOK ARRESTED IN BOSTON

Detective Howlett left yesterday for Boston to take charge of Peter June, formerly a chef in the Westminster apartment house, who is wanted on the charge of grand larceny. June disappeared last Saturday, and at the same time Mrs. Virginia Barber, who conducts the place, missed \$140. He was arrested last evening in Boston.

BELLMAN SUSPECTED OF THEFT

Robert Fatt, manager of the Regent Hotel, at Police Headquarters has reported the supposed theft of \$475 by a negro bellman named Wilber Crider. Mr. Fatt said that he gave the bellman two checks to have cashed at the bank, and that Crider failed to return with the money. Detectives Flather and Farham have begun a search for the bellman.

WORRY ABOUT DEBTS LED HIM TO SUICIDE

Robert A. Sedwick Ends His Life by Taking Poison.

After preparing for the disposition of his body, Robert A. Sedwick, fifty years old, a clerk in the Treasury Department, killed himself with morphine at his boarding house, 1006 I Street northwest, last night, while brooding over financial troubles. Before taking the poison he wrote a score of letters in explanation of the act, and also gave directions as to his burial.

From the tone of the letters Sedwick had been worried over money matters for a year or more. About a month ago the officials of the Treasury Department informed him that a number of money lenders had reported his failure to pay them. He became despondent, and evidently decided to take his life several days ago, when a note was discovered with the following words on it: "To be opened after my death."

Yesterday he was found suffering from the poison. Dr. Ashland Frankland was summoned, and pronounced his condition serious. He died shortly after 6 o'clock. In his room were found the letters which set forth that he had been crowded to the wall by money lenders.

Mr. Sedwick's death under such deplorable circumstances is viewed by his friends as exceptionally distressing because of his high moral character and great gentleness of nature. He was for many years city auditor of Birmingham, Ala. His devotion to his family was marked. He was, moreover, distinguished for the quiet earnestness of his devotion at Mount Vernon Place M. E. Church, South. That a man of such character and attributes should be driven, under the stress of great worry, to take his own life seems to Mr. Sedwick's friends unspeakably sad.

Mrs. Sedwick and Miss Sedwick are expected to arrive in Washington tomorrow. The funeral services will be held at Wright's undertaking establishment Saturday and the body will then be taken to Mr. Sedwick's old home in Warrenton, Va.

GOODE OBSEQUIES AT ST. MARGARET'S CHAPEL

Services Over Remains of Noted Government Scientist.

Impressive services marked the funeral this morning of Richard Urquhart Goode, who died suddenly at Rockville, Md., on Tuesday. The services were held at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, and the Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, the rector, officiated. The body was placed in a vault at Rock Creek Cemetery. The honorary pallbearers were Hon. Charles D. Walcott, Col. H. C. Rizer, John D. McChesney, E. M. Douglas, J. H. Renshaw, S. S. Gannett, H. B. Blair, and C. H. Fitch.

Mr. Goode was a member of the Washington Academy of Sciences, of the National Geographic Society, and the Cosmos Club. He was a native of Bedford, Va., having been born there in 1858. After graduating from the Norfolk and Hanover Academy and the Virginia University, he entered the Government survey service, and at the time of his death was geographer in charge of the Pacific section of topography.

The members of the Geological Survey held a meeting yesterday afternoon to frame resolutions on the death of Mr. Goode. A copy of these was sent to Mrs. Goode, who survives him with three children.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

BRIDGEPORT, June 11.—Friedrich Muller, a fulminate mixer in the employ of the Union Metallic Cartridge Company, was instantly killed by an explosion yesterday while working alone in an embankment mixing house. The roof was blown off the house and its fragments fell back on his body.

HOLY CROSS ACADEMY GRADUATION DAY

Excellent Musical Program Presented by Pupils.

The graduating exercises of the class of 1903 of the Academy of the Holy Cross were held at the National Theater yesterday afternoon, at which time seven young women received diplomas and medals of merit.

The march from "Tannhauser" was the opening number. Miss O'Toole, the class valedictorian, followed with a solo. Selections from Wagner were given by a quartet in which parts were sung by Misses Whyte, Darr, O'Brien, and May. The violinists were Misses Dillon, Montgomery, Kearney, and Gilhooly. The harpists were Misses Bowden, Yerby, and Rials.

The salutatory on behalf of the graduates was pronounced by May Anna Madigan. This was followed by a piano performance of Weber's "Invitation to the Dance," by Misses Gilhooly, Hanley and Kearney. A vocal duet, Beach's "Sea Song," was sung by Misses Gallagher and Montgomery, accompanied by Miss Gilhooly. A harp quartet—Verdi's "Miserere"—by Misses Bowden, O'Toole, Gilhooly and Rials (Miss Loeffler at the piano), was followed by a piano solo by Florence Dyer. Schubert's "Serenade" was played by a violin quartet composed of Misses Dillon, Montgomery, Kearney and Gilhooly, with Misses Plamondon and Rials at the piano.

The Rev. Thomas S. Lee, pastor of St. Matthew's Catholic Church, then introduced William E. Andrews, Auditor for the Treasury Department, who made the address to the graduates.

The medals and diplomas were then given the graduates by Father Lee, assisted by Sister Angella, the Sister Superior of the academy.

The distribution of certificates and the premiums of merit to the undergraduates then occurred.

ARMSTRONG TRAINING SCHOOL'S EXHIBIT

Ample Proof of Pupils' Progress in a Few Months.

Armstrong Manual Training School was crowded to the doors last night, the occasion being a display of the work done by the pupils of the institution in the past year. The affair was conducted and supervised by Dr. Wilson Bruce Evans, principal of the school. The school was dedicated on October 24, 1902, and the students have made remarkable progress since that time.

The electrical department, under the management of Percival D. Brooks, was the center of attraction. A model city was fitted up on one of the tables in the rooms set apart for the department. Small houses thoroughly equipped with electrical apparatus of all kinds, parks made of "sure enough" sod, and a three-rail electric car line were all fitted up for the city. In the center of the park was a small statue, an electrolyte by one of the students.

W. S. Wormley had charge of the free-hand drawing room, which evoked a great deal of favorable criticism. Only a small exhibit was seen in the mechanical drawing room, which was in charge of Arthur Craig.

The class exercises of the seniors were held at 7:30. Chesley E. Corbett is president of the class. Lulu Newman read the class history. Maud Morgan rendered an instrumental solo from Moszkowski. Effie Harris delivered a recitation, "Work," and the class joined in a song. Genevieve Maxwell read an essay, Mary Simmons sang a pleasing solo, and Capt. Norris Dodson read the class poem; Lieut. Jesse Gardner read a satire on the school, Nettie Lloyd sang a solo, and the class prophecy was read by Joseph Cogbill. Principal Dr. W. B. Evans made a short address, and Nettie Davis pronounced the valedictory. The program was finished by the singing of the "Pilgrims' Chorus," by the class.

THE NEWS OF GEORGETOWN

Increase in Freight.

This year the quantity of Cumberland coal which has been shipped over the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal so far is just double that shipped over the waterway last year. When the Canal Towage Company secured control of the traffic over the canal, it made provisions for twice the business previously done by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company. One hundred and fifty canal boats, 600 men, and 350 mules are now being worked by the new company. Daily, from eight to ten boatloads of coal reach the Georgetown wharf and are unloaded and sold to various coal merchants by Local Distributing Agent William A. Leetch. For the past two months the coal has been engaged by dealers thirty days in advance. The demand now is greater than the supply.

The new company anticipates spending in the neighborhood of \$100,000 in building modern unloading wharves here, to replace the present system, which requires eight laborers a half a day to unload one of the boats.

Junior O. U. A. M. Entertainers.

Arlington Council No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Georgetown, D. C., the new council organized on April 20, gave as the entertainment part of the meeting last night a "potato walk," which consists of picking potatoes up on a spoon and depositing them in a receptacle in the shortest space of time.

The following members participated: Mose A. Baer, Milton Hoffenmaier, William A. Collins, F. D. Yowell, Dr. R. E. Layton, Dr. A. M. Ray, William B. Ireland, George A. Brown, Elmer Houser, A. E. Chappell, W. T. Collins, Charles R. Moran, William Barstow, and Richard Ingalls.

The first prize, a handsome picture, was awarded William Barstow, of Reno Council, making a record of fifty-two seconds. The "hooby" prize, a china cuspidor, was awarded Dr. Robert E. Layton, he having put only one potato

in in the minimum time—two minutes. Prof. W. B. Ireland awarded the prizes. This entertainment is the beginning of a series of amusements being prepared by the good of the order committee, one to be given each meeting.

Two Weeks' Camp.

At a meeting of "The Boys" of Tenleytown, to be held Saturday evening at Masonic Hall, in Wisconsin Avenue, arrangements will be completed for the annual two weeks' camp, to be held at Colonial Beach next month. The captain of the camp and all of the committees are to be elected. "The Boys" are to be accompanied by Prof. William B. Ireland, principal of the Tenleytown public school.

Last year the club camped at Great Falls, Va.

Rivals to Meet.

On the Georgetown University Campus this afternoon, the Knickerbocker baseball team, composed of boys of Trinity parish, and the Harlem nine, of the village just west of Georgetown, will play a game of ball for the benefit of the new Trinity Parish Hall and Schoolhouse. Both teams are evenly matched, and a close game is anticipated. The Beckert brothers will be the battery of the local team, while Gleason and McKinney will form the battery for the Harlem nine.

TWO COUPLES DIVORCED.

Ada T. Arundell was yesterday divorced from James T. Arundell because of the latter's habitual drunkenness. The decree for divorce, which is signed by Justice Gould, awards Mrs. Arundell the custody of her minor children.

In Equity Court No. 1, Justice Anderson presiding, Maggie M. Lawrenson was divorced from Robert J. Lawrenson on the ground of cruelty. Mrs. Lawrenson got the custody of two of the children and Mr. Lawrenson one.

Saks & Company

The Famous Annual Suit Sale Begins Tomorrow



Always in June; always a sweeping reduction. A plain statement of the facts is simply this:

Practically our entire stock of Coat-Pants-and-Vest Suits—excepting the Plain Blues and Blacks, and, of course, the two-piece Suits—is included.

It's a sale that requires absolutely no preparation; not an outside Suit has been brought in. It's the regular stock that has been on the counters during the season; made for the season; marked just as it has been all the season; most of them "Fit Reform" Suits.

That means Fancy Cheviots, Fancy Cassimeres, Fancy Worsteds, and Homespuns—in Single and Double-Breasted Sacks, and in Norfolk. It means choice of the highest type of Clothing ready-for-wear; equal of any custom tailoring—at but a fraction of the actual value.

Only three divisions will be made.

Any Suit in Division 1.....	\$7.75
Any Suit in Division 2.....	\$9.75
Any Suit in Division 3.....	\$12.75

Considering the values, considering the virtually unrestricted variety, considering the prices that go into effect tomorrow morning, this becomes the all-important event of the season.

MEN'S NEGLIGE SHIRTS

FOR FRIDAY ONLY.

There's another lot of the broken sizes of Neglige Shirts ready. They are \$1 and \$1.50 Shirts; they are "Star" Shirts, and "Saks" Shirts—in fact, most of the famous lines we handle are represented. There are some of every size; but not every pattern in each size—you know how broken lots range. There cannot be an undesirable pattern; nor an old pattern. Special **59c**

BOYS' WASH SUITS.

FOR FRIDAY ONLY.

There isn't a mother who won't appreciate the opportunity to buy a Wash Suit that has two pairs of pants with it. That of itself is a special feature. But the quality of these Suits at the price specials them as well. Plain Crash, or Blue and White and Gray and White stripe; with combination collars; blouse cut full; fly front; seams securely sewed and re-reinforced; all sizes 3 to 10 years. Worth \$9c a Suit. Special. **69c**

BOYS' WOOL SUITS.

FOR FRIDAY ONLY.

Wherever there is a Serge lot, or a Cheviot lot, broken in size up to and including the Short Pants Suits worth \$4.50, what are left combine to make up a lot of **\$2.95** tomorrow as a special.

There are Plain Blue Serges, in Double Breasted, Norfolk, and Sailor styles. The Sailsors trimmed with braid and silk embroidered emblems. There are Fancy Cheviots in Double Breasted and Norfolk styles; mainly little Suits, in neat patterns and popular styles. The sizes run from 4 to 16 years.

MEN'S BELTS

FOR FRIDAY ONLY.

Another lot of broken lots—but broken lots of our regular stock; there's a guarantee of value in the fact they belong to our regular stock. Black, Tan, and the other leading shades; of various widths, with harness buckles of Black, Brass or Nickel. You may find your length in just the Belt you want; you'll surely find it in a Belt that's proper to wear. Wrecked lots of the 50c grade—Special **25c**

MEN'S STRAW HATS

THE EVENT OF THE STRAW SEASON.

The sale of makers' sample Hats, and these particular makers' Hats represent the best lines in the trade, means much coming at the very first of the season. Included are all the leading shapes of the season—stiff brims, soft brims, and neglige shapes, in smooth and rough Straws—Sennits, Split braids, Mackinaw Straws and Milans—the very finest of Straws, the very best of hand-making, the very finest of sweat leathers and silk bands. We cut the entire lot into two divisions.

Hats worth up to \$4, choice for **\$1.35**

Hats worth up to \$2, choice for **95c**

Children's Straw Sallors, with the extra wide or medium wide rolling brims: Red and White, Black and White, and Plain White braids; with plain and fancy silk bands. Hats that are worth up to \$1.25. Special. **45c**

Boys' Rough Jap-braid Straw Hats, in the stiff shapes; with silk bands and leather sweatbands; worth 75c. Special. **35c**

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SHOES

FOR FRIDAY ONLY.

This is a joint special—for the Men and the Women—each sharing the advantage in equal values offered at the same reduction in price. We gain these Shoes from the makers—and the makers take the loss. It is based on commercial conditions. Wholesale speaking, they are both small lots; but they give us a good big one day's leader.

Women's Black and Tan Vici Kid, Black Velvet Kid, Chrome Calf, and Guaranteed Patent Colt Oxfords, with kid or patent leather tips, turn and welt sewed; close or extension edges; Cuban, French, and Military heels.

Men's Black and Tan Vici Kid, Box Calf, Patent Leather and Patent Colt Lace and Button Shoes and Oxfords; (straight lace or Blucher); single and double soles, close or extension edges, straight or "swing" lasts.

All sizes in both the Men's and the Women's lots—and each holds values up to \$3.00 a pair. Special **\$1.95**

BIG FRIDAY SHOE=SNAPS

at Hahn's 3 Bustling Stores

For weeks our stores have been regular bee-hives of business activity—and the last few weeks have surpassed in volume of sales any of our past great records. It is quite natural that many broken sizes of some of the most desirable Shoe-lines follow in the wake of such great selling. These broken sizes will be found on separate tables tomorrow marked down to quick-selling prices—and many complete underpriced lines will add to tomorrow's attractions.

SNAPS FOR MEN With Small Narrow Feet, \$1.37	WOMEN'S SMALL SIZES of Fine \$1.50 to \$3 Shoes, 85c	GIRLS' LARGE SIZES Spring Heel Slippers..... 75c
A tableful of Men's \$2.50 to \$4.00 hand-made Oxford Ties and Laced Shoes, made of Patent Leather, black or tan kid and calf. Every pair perfect in style and quality—but sizes run from 5 to 6½ only.	A tableful of Women's black and tan kid, Patent Leather, and Linen Oxford Ties, Strap Sandals, and Laced Boots, that sold rapidly at from \$1.50 to \$3.00—and worth it today—but we've only left the sizes from 1 to 4.	100 pairs big Girls' sizes spring heel \$1.50 to \$2 kid and Patent Leather dressy strap sandals—all of them hand-sewed—and just what is needed for hot weather wear; sizes 4 to 7.
\$1.65 Women's \$2.50 Kid and Patent Colt Hand-sewed Gibson Ties, with wide ribbon bows, with Cuban or French heels; nearly all sizes.	\$1.37 Women's \$2 fine kid Laced and a Button Boots, with kid or patent tips, close or extension edge soles; sizes 3 to 7.	\$1.19 Women's \$1.50 hand-sewed, turn sole Vici Kid Oxford Ties, with kid or patent tips, low or high heels; nearly all sizes.
95c Men's and Boys' white, gray and brown Linen Oxford Ties and Laced Shoes, good leather soles, dressy shapes; all sizes.	69c Misses' and Children's \$1 Kid and Patent Leather Oxford Ties and Strap Slippers, light or heavy soles; sizes to 2.	48c Boys' and Men's Gray Cover Cloth Laced Shoes, with leather soles and heels; all sizes.
		39c Boys' and Girls' best white, black or brown canvas, rubber sole Tennis Oxford Ties; all sizes.

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